

## VOLUME IV

### MARRIED

#### Mortimore-Starnes.

At the home of the bride's parents Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock occurred the marriage of Miss Lisse Mortimore to Delbert R. Starnes of Bremen, Ky. D. B. Kessinger officiating. They at once left for their home at Bremen. Mr. Starnes is employed as a moulder in the Radiator works at that place. The best wishes of the Advance goes with them.—Bourbon Advance.

#### Operator Will Be Married.

Operator J. E. Anglin of the Pennsylvania dispatcher's office takes a leave of absence, beginning Saturday. He will be married in a few days to Miss Stella Farnan, formerly the operator in charge of the Pennsylvania central exchange. The wedding is heretofore something of a family affair with the railroad people and the prospective bride and groom will be showered with congratulations by their friends in all departments of the Pennsylvania.—Ft. Wayne Journal Gazette.

Mr. Anglin was formerly employed at the Western Union Telegraph Office in this city, and has many friends here.

On Saturday afternoon, Feb. 4, Mr. Zion McCormack, of Laporte, Ind., and Mrs. Mary Livenhouse, of Donaldson, were united in marriage by Rev. J. S. Keppel, of the Reformed church.

#### Seatter-Dawson.

William Seatter, of North Dakota and Mrs. Charley Dawson, of Argos were united in marriage Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the Methodist parsonage, by the Rev. Crowder. The newly married couple will make their home in North Dakota where Mr. Seatter has a farm.

#### Marriage License.

Zion McCormack 53  
Mary Livinghouse 40  
Ervin H. Gall 21  
Ella K. Lamler 20

#### Sherrick's Pet Bill.

One of the most vicious bills that has thus far been introduced in the State Legislature is House bill No. 195, known as the "tax dodgers' bill." This bill was drafted by Auditor of State Sherrick, and should it pass the State Auditor would be empowered to have deputies in each county to collect sequestered taxes, thus denying the several counties in the State the right to look after this item of taxation. All sequestered tax collections would be centralized in Indianapolis, and the Auditor of State would have full swing—it would also mean a rake-off of about \$100,000 a year for that officer. But the bill is very unpopular outside of Indianapolis and will hardly become a law. Petitions are pouring in from all sections of the state protesting against the passage of the measure.

#### Commissioners In Jail.

It is quite evident that Sheriff Steiner is determined to perform his duty, and when after consulting his good wife, he concluded it was time to give the county commissioners a taste of high life in the Marshall county jail, he proceeded to execute his authority and forthwith served the necessary papers, and with only enough resistance to conform to the rules of etiquette the commissioners accompanied the deputy sheriff to the jail, and upon their arrival—what a feast was spread before them, everything to satisfy and appease their wounded feelings was done by Mr. and Mrs. Steiner, and the commissioners speak very highly of jail life in Marshall county as experienced by them, and that the accommodations of Hotel De Steiner are as good as can be found in the county is no longer a question in their minds.

#### Loscy Buys Out Partner.

A partnership existing between Beach & Loscy, who conduct a jewelry establishment at 130 West Washington street was dissolved Saturday afternoon by mutual consent. J. Lott Loscy, the junior member of the firm bought out his partner, Lell F. Beach, and will continue the business at the same location.

The establishment is among South Bend's younger institutions. Although it has been operating less than two years it has built up a good business and has enjoyed its share of prosperity and popularity. Mr. Loscy will enlarge the store, will put in new stock and fixtures and make other improvements which will make the place one of the most complete of its kind in the city.—South Bend Times.

Mr. Loscy's many friends in Plymouth will be glad to hear of his progress, as that is well deserving and energetic.

### WANTS LOTS OF GIRLS

South Bend Man Comes to Hammond and Offers Good Wages For Girls.

"There is a famine in girls at South Bend, especially for hotel and house work purposes," said George Emerson, manager of an employment agency in South Bend, who is stopping at the Hotel Majestic for a few days. "I stopped at Laporte, Ind., yesterday, and it is the same way there, so I thought I would run up to Hammond. It is 'girls wanted, girls wanted' everywhere. Girls would rather work in a store nowadays for \$3 or \$4 per week when they can get from \$25 to \$50 a month working in a hotel at easy hours and get their board and room."—Hammond News.

#### A Letter From Texas.

El Paso, Texas, Jan. 30, 1905, EDITOR TRIBUNE: El Paso is situated on the Rio Grande river which forms the boundary line between the United States and Mexico, and five miles south of the northern line of New Mexico. It is a historic town being one of the oldest towns and one of the first gateways to California and the Pacific coast. It has improved notably in the past five years. It has some very creditable buildings among which are the court house and public library the latter being a gift to the city by Carnegie, also a chamber of commerce where are on exhibit the various minerals 3 1/2 feet in depth. The population in 1900 was 15,900. One half being Mexicans. American labor is handicapped by the cheap Mexican labor. The ordinary laborer realizing but \$1 per day. Intelligence and enterprise is lacking in a majority of the Mexican citizens, while a portion of them are shrewd and intelligent making good clerks and accountants, positions which quite a few occupy.

Just across the border in the Republic of Mexico is the city Juarez of 8000 inhabitants. The want of modern improvements clearly indicates the reckless habits of the people. Here is where the exchange of exports and imports is carried on and a custom house is located here where a vigilant eye is kept on the wily smuggler by the custom house officers. The buildings with few exceptions are adobe. Here is a historic Catholic church erected in 1549, whose inside finish is principally of California redwood. There can be no doubt as to its age as a daily diary from the first day of its completion is in evidence. Beneath the shadow of its walls lie buried the remains of eight Catholic priests. It did not wholly escape the ravages of war its walls being pierced by a cannon ball during the Mexican war of 1848. A thing of interest and attraction is the bull fight where from two to three thousand people are in attendance each Sunday in the arena which has a seating capacity of 7500 people. Usually four bulls and six or eight men and horses constitute the combatants one of which is sometimes a lady. The horses are blindfolded the rider is supplied with a red flag which he flaunts at the animal to stir up its ire and to further enrage it is armed with lances which are thrust into the body of the brute. Enraged by the pain it charges upon its antagonist who defends himself with a sword, spear or other weapon. It sometimes results in the man being seriously gored or killed as well as the horses. At an exhibition on the 15th inst. one horse was instantly killed and five others were disemboweled.

ISAAC BROWN.

#### Corn Cobs vs. Maple.

The winter this far has been ideal to produce a big syrup and sugar year, and unless maple syrup is plentiful this season, the farmers will be very much disappointed. It will not be many weeks until the sugar camps will be in operation, for already the trees are full of sap. As far as the town people are concerned it would make no material difference whether the maple or sugar trees either one had no sap in them so long as there is a bountiful supply of corn cobs in the neighborhood. It is a noteworthy fact that very few people can distinguish any appreciable difference in the taste of maple syrup and corn cob syrup.—Warsaw Union.

Rev. J. J. Coleman, of the Wesleyan church has left for Westfield, where he will attend a conference. He will be home Friday night and continue the revival meeting, which is being held in this city.

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### THIRD ANNUAL BAND CONCERT

Band Concert and Oyster Supper Proves to be a Grand Success.

The band concert and oyster supper given by the band at the Centennial opera house Thursday evening was a grand success, socially and financially. The concert delighted the large assemblage of music lovers. The critical tastes of the audience were gratified for the encores were numerous and enthusiastic, and the responses were most graciously given. The program comprised 12 numbers, several of these being encores. The audience thus testified its appreciation of the good things with which the program tremed. The opening number was a march, "Tribune" which was executed in a manner deserving much credit. "The Haunted House" a descriptive piece brought the cold chills to the backs of many in the audience, and received many encores requiring the Ghost march to be repeated. The Euphonium solo "Old Kentucky Home" with variations by Eldridge Thompson, was the musical hit of the program, as the execution was masterful and was encored until Mr. Thompson responded. Several other selections on the program deserve special mention but those in attendance are willing to confess that the program was the best that the music lovers of Plymouth have ever had the opportunity of hearing.

A march "Gloria" concluded the program. From the opening until the closing of the entertainment the large hall was crowded, this showing the appreciation of the efforts of the members of this organization. After the conclusion of the program Mr. Seybold director of the band told the audience in a few words that he was highly gratified at the large crowd in attendance, and wished to thank everyone for their patronage after the entertainment a large crowd of young people went to the K. of P. hall where several hours of dancing was indulged in.

It is safe to say that should the band give another entertainment it would be greeted by a larger crowd than last evening.

#### At The Court House.

Angeline Harrell has filed a complaint for divorce from Jesse Harrell. Trella Gochenour has been granted a divorce from Fredrick Gochenour and her name changed to Trella Jordan.

Achilles North was appointed probator officer to fill the vacancy caused by the death of James Maxey.

Fezer J. Kruger and Bradley C. Southworth were appointed jury commissioners.

The last will and testament of Samuel L. once was filed for probating in the clerk's office.

The following suits have been filed, Daniel C. Martin vs Sarah Appleton, John Appleton, whose true christian name is unknown, husband of Sarah Appleton, and others; complaint to quit title and supply deed.

Mary A. Milner vs Frank C. Milner, Nellie Milner, Mabel Milner, minor, and Charles A. Gontier, administrator of the estate of Ira L. Milner, deceased, complaint for petition of real estate.

#### Commissioners' Session.

The board of commissioners of Marshall county met in regular session at the Court House Monday with all members present. The following business was transacted: All bills that were found correct were allowed.

The reviewers of the Jacob Heck ditch presented a petition for more time to make a review, and after considering the petition ordered the time extended to April 1st, and the matter continued for report.

Dr. J. S. Martin, secretary of the board of health of Marshall county, presented and filed his report for the quarter ending, December 31, 1904, which was approved.

The petition signed by 25 residents of Bourbon township, to have an election in said township for the purpose of voting on a proposition to give a certain sum of money to the Indianapolis, Logansport & South Bend Traction Company. The board after due consideration ordered an election to be held on March 25, 1905, providing said Traction Company would pay the expense of holding the election. A petition was also presented from Walnut township, signed by 45 taxpayers for the same purpose as the Bourbon township petition. An election was called for April 1st, 1905, with the same provision as Bourbon.

J. H. Matchett, of Bourbon and J. E. Cormical, of Walnut township, after being duly sworn stated that the Traction Company would be a public benefit to the township.

### IMPORTANT DECISION.

Express Companies Must Deliver Within City Limits.

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 3.—The supreme court today upheld the act of the legislature of 1901 which compelled express companies doing business in Indiana to make delivery of all packages consigned to parties within the limits of cities of 2,500 population. One hundred or more cities are affected, including Plymouth.

#### Business Men's Meeting.

The meeting which was called by the committee appointed to investigate the location of the Heinz factory at this place Thursday evening was largely attended.

Mr. Gilmore was chairman of the meeting and the committee submitted their report. After conferring with Mr. Graves, the general manager of the Heinz Co., the committee believed that there was an opportunity securing the plant either by giving a bonus or by obtaining a suitable building for the plant.

The committee held a meeting with Mr. Graves this morning and agreed to raise a bonus of \$4,000 if they would locate in this city. Mr. Graves said he would confer with the other managers and submit the proposition.

Should they accept the proposition a committee will be appointed to raise the amount and everybody, interested in the booming of Plymouth should do all in their power to help secure this bonus.

The Heinz Co. as everybody knows, are reliable people and do all and more than they promise for the city, and an extra effort should be made to secure them.

The committee also stated that Mr. Graves was here at the time the old Novelty building was for sale and intended purchasing it but by some misunderstanding they did not buy at that time. As it was the intention of this plant to locate here some time ago, everything looks favorable for Plymouth to secure it now.

#### Mrs. Gilmore Entertains.

Mrs. James A. Gilmore, Jr., entertained a few of her friends Wednesday evening in honor of her husband's birthday anniversary.

The evening was spent in social conversation and other amusements. Those present were the Messrs. and Mesdames Floyd Bunnell, Edward Tanner, Wm. Ormand and Victor Wickizer.

#### Beveridge Presents Petitions.

Senator Beveridge presented petitions of citizens of South Bend, Richmond, Plymouth, Madison county, Goshen and Winamac, asking for the enactment of legislation providing for the continued prohibition of the liquor traffic in the Indian Territory, according to recent agreements with the five civilized tribes.

#### Will It Be Done.

Shortly after the passage of the anti-cigarette bill in the senate, a News reporter had an interview with Lewis J. Deschler, one of the largest tobacco dealers in the state, and Mr. Deschler made the broad assertion that the bill would never pass the house, saying that the tobacco trust would not stand for it. He also stated, "there's a world of business done in the state in cigarettes and the trust will buy them off." He said envoys of the trust would be on the ground at once and look after the members of the Indiana house. Mr. Deschler is in a position to know whereof he speaks, and that an effort will be made to head off the will of the people, there is no doubt, but with what degree of success is a mooted question. Evidently Mr. Deschler does not place a very high estimate upon the integrity of the members of the house, as he practically brands them as a set of boodlers and all that is necessary to "buy them off." The Tribune so far this session has not discovered any acts of the house that warrants this sweeping charge, and we do not believe the people of Indiana have sent to Indianapolis, a set of men to enact laws that can be bought up like so many cattle, but since the question has been raised, we will watch with keen interest the progress of this bill. We do not think there is any question but that the great mass of the people of our state rejoice over the fact that this bill has passed the senate, and if the will of the people and not of the tobacco trust is carried out it will be passed by the house by a large majority. We have a high opinion of the Indiana house as a whole, and we trust and believe the prophecy of Mr. Deschler will prove untrue. However if the bill is killed there will be plenty of people in the state who will always believe that Mr. Deschler knew what he was talking about.

### REBALLASTING TRACK

Livery Work to Begin at the Gravel-pit at Denver.

The Lake Erie is preparing to do considerable ballasting of the road-bed on the north end of the line the coming summer. Sixty-two of the 87 miles between Peru and Michigan City will be re-graveled and work will be commenced as soon as the weather will permit. The gravel will be taken from the company's pit in the vicinity of Denver, and 3,700 Rodger ballast car loads, or 95,000 cubic yards of gravel will be distributed. Sixty car loads a day will be distributed, requiring probably three trains a day. Roadmaster Correll was at Denver, Saturday, looking over the pit. The company ballasted a large portion of the south end of the line last summer and when the work proposed for this summer is completed the entire road-bed will be in first class condition. It would be a great improvement to the road if the steep grade in the vicinity of Richard Van Dien's residence could be cut down and placed in the low portion within the corporation limits of Rochester.—Rochester Republican.

#### Condition of the G. A. R. in Indiana

The department of G. A. R. of the state has submitted its semi-annual report to the commander-in-chief.

The report contains some interesting facts. On June 30, last, the Indiana department had 15,502 members with 112 posts. In the department there are now 103 posts, nine having surrendered their charters. The membership in Indiana at the present time is 15,069.

There has been a loss by death in the last six months of 257. Six hundred have dropped out of the ranks by suspension.

The financial report made by the commander shows that at the time the last report was made the posts had an aggregate of \$26,933.28 on hand. Now they have an aggregate of \$45,176.17. In the last six months the posts have contributed \$2,231.91 in relief. The total value of property now owned by all the posts is \$119,171.44.

#### Decisions For The Knights of Pythias.

Charles E. Shively, of Richmond, supreme chancellor of the Knights of Pythias of the world, rendered two opinions of general interest. He has decided that a member who is a bonafide hotel keeper may personally attend his own bar conducted in connection with such hotel business.

The other decision is to the effect that there is nothing in the Pythian law to prevent a supreme representative from holding the office of grand lecturer.

#### Indiana Editorial Opinion.

The recommendation to allow the report of the codification commission to go over to the General Assembly of 1907 has much to commend it. The people would be given two years to consider and digest the report, and if they would do so no doubt great benefit would follow. But will they do it?—South Bend Tribune.

The President of the United States and the only living ex-President of the United States on Sunday made impressive talks upon religious subjects, dwelling with becoming reverence and solemnity upon the great part religion has had and must yet have in making this country what it is and what it ought to be. Yet one could hardly throw a club at a dog without hitting some pious scouter who is ready to say that religion and the church do not have "big men" in them any more.—Ft. Wayne Sentinel.

A bill has been introduced in the Indiana Assembly which ought not to become a law in its present form. It requires that every proprietary medicine manufacturer selling his product in Indiana shall plainly print the formula upon the label. Is it right to demand that a person who may have spent years of time and much money to discover a compound beneficial in certain diseases shall give his secret to the world?—South Bend Tribune.

There is a crying need for more normal schools. The State Normal School at Terre Haute is doing good work, but it can not supply the demand. There is need of at least two more. Any man or newspaper that takes a position against additional normal schools either has a selfish motive back of it all or else is so densely ignorant of present conditions as to be wholly incompetent to judge the situation correctly.—Muncie Herald.

### CIGARETTES BARRED IN INDIANA.

Senate Passes the Most Drastic Law Ever on Statute Books.

Indianapolis, Feb. 3.—Senator Parks' bill making it unlawful to manufacture, give away or even own cigarette wrappers, or cigarette tobacco, was passed in the senate today by a vote of 35 to 7. The following senators spoke in support of the measure: T. T. Moore, Ulrey, Roche and Ganiard.

Senator Parks defended his bill in an emphatic address. He declared that reliable scientific investigation demonstrates that cigarette smoking has inflicted a great injury, especially upon the youth of the country. The additions addicted to the evil habit, he said are degenerate to the last degree, their people being dwarfed physically and mentally. Records of the insane asylums, he pointed out, show that the condition of many of the inmates is due to the iniquitous practice. The state, he concluded, should enact legislation that will save it from the dread that surely follows addition to the monstrous vice.

Senator Ulrey contended that the cigarette smoker tramples upon the personal liberty of every man within fifty yards when he lights a cigarette. He said the habit was vicious and should be stopped. Senator Roche said the school teachers everywhere are for the measure.

The bill prohibits cigarette smoking. There can be no making, selling, giving or keeping of cigarettes under any circumstances. For first offenses, a fine of from \$25 to \$50 is imposed and for second and each subsequent offense this fine is doubled and to this may be added six months imprisonment in the county jail.

#### No Filing by Number.

Judge Dodge of the Elkhart circuit court has made a ruling that in the future there will be no suppressing of complaints or papers by attorneys or the clerk to the court and that any attempt to keep the contents of papers from the newspaper reporters will be punished by the court. Sometimes in divorce cases the complaints as soon as filed are withdrawn.

#### Incorporated at Culver.

The Culver Novelty Co. of Culver, Ind. has been incorporated with a capital of \$9,000. The directors are Henry Zechel, John H. Koontz and Samuel E. Hensley.

#### Fred Goodyear In It Again.

Fred was working near the river the other day when he discovered a milk track which he followed to the river, then down the river on the ice. While going at a rapid gait he came to a thin spot in the ice, and as it was covered with snow he did not discover it until he was in water nearly to his shoulders. He floundered about the water and screamed for help, until finally some of his friends heard the cries and with the assistance of a rope and grub ax was rescued from the water more dead than alive. Fred says he will never forget his sad experience, but was never nearer heaven than at this time.

#### Staff Officers Named.

Governor Hanly has appointed Capt. W. E. English and W. E. Stark of Aurora to represent Indiana on the staff of Gen. Chaffee, grand marshal of the inaugural parade on March 4. The personal escort of the president from the White House to the capitol will comprise the United States war veterans, of which Capt. English is commander, and the Grand Army.

#### Jacob Fauber Trowbridge.

Jacob Trowbridge died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. William McGlothlin, at nine o'clock Tuesday night, after an illness of two weeks, at the age of 71 years, 2 months and 4 days.

Mr. Trowbridge was born in Ohio, December 3, 1833 and came to this city when he was young, and has resided here since.

He leaves to mourn their loss besides his wife, three daughters, Mrs. F. W. Gee and Mrs. E. J. Davis, of Terre Haute and Mrs. W. S. McGlothlin, of this city; also one brother, William Trowbridge, of Denver, Colorado, and three sisters, Mrs. Dr. Gray, who lives in Dakota, Mrs. Clara Knott, of Virginia, and Mrs. Albert Gilson, who resides north of this city.

The season for the distribution of garden seeds is at hand and Congressman Brick promises to furnish usual supply. It will not be long until Indiana is reached in the distribution process. Each member gets 12,000 packages of garden seeds and has about 300 more packages of miscellaneous assortments, including flower seeds, bulbs, shade trees, etc.

### MORTUARY

#### Death of S. S. Fish.

Dr. Knott received a message from Misses Maude and Grace Fish, Saturday morning, that their father Silas S. Fish had died Friday evening at their home at Escanaba, Mich.

Mr. Fish and family lived in this city almost fifteen years and are well known all over the county. He moved to Escanaba last fall and has resided there ever since.

He taught school near Argos for a few years, and served as county superintendent for six years.

He was about 55 years old and leaves a wife and 4 children, one son Claude, who resides in Chicago, and three daughters Maude, Grace and Metta, who reside in Escanaba, to mourn his death.

#### George Herring.

George Herring of the County Infirmary died suddenly Sunday evening at 8 o'clock at the age of 71 years.

He came to the county farm last fall and made his home there ever since.

#### Cassimer Fuerstmeier.

Cassimer Fuerstmeier died at his home near Donaldson, Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock, at the age of 63 years 8 months and 5 days, after an illness of six months of Bright's disease, followed by apoplexy.

He was born in Germany and came to this county 21 years ago and has resided in it ever since.

He leaves to mourn his death besides his wife, 9 children, 5 sons Cassimer, Edmond, Antonio, Erwin and Oscar and 4 daughters Anna, Melia, Mary and Francis who reside near Donaldson.

The funeral services held at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at the United Brethren church at Donaldson and interment at Cemetery near that place.

#### Hugh Gallagher.

Hugh Gallagher, one of Plymouth's old and respected citizens, died at the residence of Herman Altmann on North Walnut street, Thursday evening, February 2, 1905 age 82 years, 8 months and 8 days.

Deceased was born in Ireland May 24, 1822, came to America many years ago and to Plymouth about twelve years ago.

His aged wife died a few years ago and he made his home with his step-daughter Mrs. John Gallagher until she went to Denver, Colorado, a few months ago. His death was caused by old age and general debility. He was one of the most devout members of the Methodist Episcopal church, and had the respect and esteem of all who knew him.

Funeral services were held at the M. E. church, Sunday at 10:30 a. m., conducted by Rev. J. S. Crowder. The remains were interred at Oak Hill. Friends desiring to see the remains can do so from one to three o'clock Saturday afternoon.

#### Louis Paul.

Louis Paul died at the home of his mother near the Church of God in this city at 8 o'clock Thursday night at age of 50 years, after few days illness of blood poisoning.

He was born in Richland County, Ohio, and had resided in this and St. Joseph counties all his life.

He with his mother came here from Walkerton about 2 years ago, and he secured employment at the Edgerton Mfg. Co., where he had been employed ever since. Last Tuesday he received a slight scratch on the hand and taking cold in it blood poison set in causing his death.

He leaves besides his mother Mrs. Elizabeth Jolly, 3 brothers, George of Elkhart, John W. of Walkerton, and James H. of South Bend also one sister Mrs. Alice Eipert of Hamlet, to survive him.

After a short funeral at 11 o'clock Saturday at the house the remains were taken to Walkerton where the funeral was held and the remains were interred in the cemetery at that place.

#### Death of Mrs. Minerva Plummer.

Mrs. Minerva Plummer died at the home of her son-in-law, Jonas Grant, five miles southwest of town at 12:15 a. m. Wednesday, at the advanced age of eighty-two years. The deceased was an old resident of this section, having moved here before the civil war.

The funeral took place at the M. E. church at Bethel Friday morning, the cortege leaving the Grant home at 10:30 o'clock. Rev. A. L. Weaver will officiate.—Bourbon Mirror.